

TOWN OF HERNDON

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GEORGE BURKE APPOINTED TO BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

Herndon, VA (February 27, 2007) – The Herndon Town Council has appointed George Burke to the Town's Board of Zoning Appeals (BZA), filling a position vacated by Seth Watari, who is relocating out of the community.

The five-member BZA is responsible for hearing appeals and deciding whether applicants should be granted variances from the Town's zoning regulations based upon special physical circumstances.

A 17-year resident of the Town, Burke has served in leadership roles within his neighborhood's homeowners' association, Courts of Chandon, as well as the Town-wide Herndon Community Association Coalition (HCAC). He has more than 15 years of management experience in the private sector and is a member of the District of Columbia Bar.

Individuals interested in being considered for positions on the Town's boards and commissions are encouraged to submit an application to the Town's Talent Bank, maintained by the Town Clerk's office. Visit the Boards & Commissions page on the Town Council section of www.herndon-va.gov for more information or to download an application, or contact the Town Clerk's office at 703/435-6804.

The Town of Herndon was incorporated by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia on January 14, 1879. Located in western Fairfax County, Herndon is the 3rd largest town in the Commonwealth and is home to more than 22,000 citizens. Businesses located within the Town of Herndon, which range from high tech enterprises to entrepreneurially-owned establishments, employ approximately 23,500 people. In 2006, Herndon was named one of the “best affordable suburbs” in the nation by *Business Week* Magazine.

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